

Weekly Volunteer Update

The City of Bloomington Volunteer Network is your source for information about volunteering locally. For a complete listing, visit www.bloomington.in.gov/volunteer or call 349-3433.



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QUOTE OF THE WEEK: **"The actions of men are the best interpreters of their thoughts."**
~ John Locke

Ushers - Diary of Anne Frank – Sept. 12-28

Usher for Cardinal Stage Company's production of The Diary of Anne Frank at the John Waldron Arts Center! In appreciation for your efforts, Cardinal invites you to stay and see the performance for free! Volunteers are needed September 12-28 from 6:30-10 p.m.; minimum age is 13. Please contact Katie Becker at 336-7110 or katie@cardinalstage.org (www.cardinalstage.org).

Walk for Life – Sept. 13

This two mile pledged fundraising walk on September 13 along the Clear Creek Trail is in support of the Crisis Pregnancy Center (CPC) and Hannah House Maternity Home. CPC is a life-affirming Christian ministry providing free services including assistance with practical needs, pregnancy testing, prenatal, childbirth, parenting and life skills classes, case management, spiritual support and a 24-hour client helpline. Breakfast, lunch and family activities are provided. Pledge forms can be picked up at CPC or call to have one mailed. All ages welcome! Please contact Tara Doyon at (812) 334-0104 or tara@cpcbloomington.org (www.cpcbloomington.org).

Abilities Board Members

Abilities Unlimited Disabilities Services lends durable medical equipment, advocates for persons with disabilities, helps send children with disabilities to summer camp, and builds ramps and modifies homes in Bloomington. Interested individuals are now being sought to serve as Board Members. Meetings are held at 6 p.m. on the 2nd Tuesday of each month; minimum age is 21. Please contact Lynne Argent at 332-1620 or au@abilitiesunlimited.net (www.abilitiesunlimited.net).

Cents for Humanity Campaign – Sept. 13-14

Volunteers and groups are needed for this Monroe County Humane Association fundraising project on September 13 and 14. This is a perfect opportunity for individuals, teams and groups to help animals in need. Volunteers will be stationed at several locations throughout Bloomington armed with donation cans collecting change and raising awareness for the MCHA. Minimum age is 18; families welcome! Please contact Tricia Dishman at 333-6242 or helphthem@bluemarble.net (www.monroehumane.org).

Volunteer Firefighter

Interested in the protection of life, property and the environment? Ever thought about being a firefighter? Join the Bloomington Township Volunteer Fire Department! You must reside within one mile of Bloomington, Washington, or Benton Townships in Monroe County, which includes most of the I.U. Campus. Volunteers must receive and are provided training in firefighting and hazardous materials response and many other classes are available. All firefighters must pass a physical (provided) and be released by a doctor. Minimum age is 18. Please contact Joel Bomgardner at (812) 339-1115 or fire@btfire.org.

Community Wish List – Grant a wish for this community organization!

My Sister's Closet of Monroe County, Inc. Providing workforce attire to women seeking self-sufficiency since 1998. Provides five outfits of free gently used, high-quality workforce attire, jewelry, shoes and outerwear to low income women whose goal is family self-sufficiency. To grant a wish, contact Sandy Keller at 335-6603 or skeller@absoluteresearch.net. (www.mysistersclosetofmonroeco.org).

Wishes: clothing displays, jewelry, laptop to track voucher recipients, storage close to south side location, track lighting and installation

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